

MedWeb: Biomedical Internet Resources

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MedWeb, a World Wide Web (WWW) catalog of health sciences related Internet resources, was created over two years ago. Originally started as a collection of static WWW pages, the database has been converted into an easily indexable record-based format. This enables a user to search or navigate the links by keyword, geographic location, or Uniform Resource Locator (URL). MedWeb presently contains over 9,000 links, is updated daily, and serves over 120,000 document requests per month. The database is

maintained using WWW software tools developed specifically for MedWeb. In the near future we hope to create an index of MedWeb entries using the Unified Medical Language System (UMLS).

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